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BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Gulf of Mexico OCS Region 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To: MS GM 266A

OCS-G 29188

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Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC 675 Bering Drive, Suite 620 Houston, TX 77057 Attn: Timothy A. Austin

Dear Mr. Austin:

Your letter dated June 13, 2019, submitting Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond No. EAIC401765, in the amount of \$70,380, was received by our office on June 25, 2019. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 29188, was executed on June 12, 2019, with Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC as principal and Endurance Assurance Corporation as surety.

The bond conforms to the requirements of the leasing and operating regulations for the submerged lands of the Outer Continental Shelf. It is effective as of the date filed, June 25, 2019.

Should you need further assistance, please contact Kathleen Lee at (504) 736-5774 or boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov.

Sincerely,

Susan Vaughan, Section Chief

Leasing and Financial Responsibility Section

Leasing and Plans

cc: Endurance Assurance Corporation

12890 Lebanon Road Mt. Juliet, TN 37122

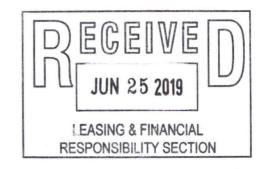
Attn: E. Patrick Hennesy III

Sent Via Email To: <u>TIM@PEREGRINEOILANDGAS.COM</u>, <u>tpickerrell@smithmanus.com</u>, pat.hennesy@jltus.com



June 13, 2019

Ms. Kathleen Lee Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Leasing & Financial Responsibility Unit 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394



Re:

Requesting Cancellation of Supplemental Pipeline Bond currently on file for

OCS-G 29188

Dear Ms. Lee:

On March 23, 2018, Northstar Offshore Ventures LLC (3520) submitted the following supplemental bond to the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management to cover the surety obligations on OCS-G 29188;

1. Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's and Operator's Supplemental Bond by Indemnity National Insurance Company, as Surety, and Northstar Offshore Ventures LLC, as Principal, Bond No. N-7000943 covering 29188 Pipeline Right-of-way (ROW) OCS-G 29188, in the amount of \$138,000, referred to as the "Northstar Supplemental Pipeline Bond". A General Purpose Rider dated February 4, 2019 made effective November 29, 2018 was submitted to change the Northstar Supplemental Pipeline Bond adding the new Principal Name to be Sanare Energy Partners, LLC hereinafter referred to as the "Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond"

We request that the above referenced Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond be fully released and canceled pursuant to the filing of the following two (2) replacement bonds identified hereinbelow which together fully replace and supersede the Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond for the full penal sum:

- 1. Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond dated June 12, 2019, by Endurance Assurance Corporation, as Surety, and Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC (2967), as Principal, bearing Bond No. EAIC401765 in the amount of \$70,380 covering OCS-G 29188. This bond, in part, replaces and supersedes Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond, Bond No. N-7000943. This replacement bond is hereinafter referred to as the "Peregrine Replacement Bond"; and,
- 2. Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond dated June 12, 2019, by Endurance Assurance Corporation, as Surety and GOM Energy Venture II, LLC

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(3023), as Principal, bearing Bond No. EAIC401766 in the amount of \$67,620 covering OCS-G 29188. This bond, in part, replaces and supersedes Bond No. N-7000943. This replacement bond is hereinafter referred to as the "GOM Replacement Bond."

Once you have reviewed and approved the Peregrine Replacement Bond and the GOM Replacement Bond, please mark cancelled on the Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond and send a letter to me acknowledging the cancellation of the Sanare Supplemental Pipeline Bond.

If you have any questions regarding the above, or need additional information, we have provided the following contact information for each of the parties:

For the Principal - Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC For the Principal - GOM Energy Venture I, LLC Timothy A. Austin 675 Bering Drive, Suite 620 Houston, Texas 77057 Email: Tim@PeregrineOilandGas.com

Phone Number: (713) 589-6807

For the Surety - Indemnity National Insurance Company Theresa Pickerrell 725 Cool Springs Blvd., Suite 600 Franklin, Tennessee 37067 Email: tpickerrell@smithmanus.com

Phone Number: (502) 238-1246

For the Surety - Endurance Assurance Corporation Patrick Hennesy – Broker Marsh-JLT Speciality USA 5847 San Felipe, Suite 2800 Houston, Texas 77057

Email: <u>pat.hennesy@jltus.com</u> Phone Number: (713) 325-7645 Ms. Kathleen Lee Bureau of Ocean Energy Management June 13, 2019 Page 3

If you have any questions regarding the above, or need additional information, please contact Anthony C. Marino at (504) 299-6114 or by email at acmarino@liskow.com or the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC (2967)

Timothy A. Austin

Vice President Business Development and Land

GOM Energy Venture I, LLC (3023)

Timothy A. Austin

Vice President Business Development and Land



OMB Control No.: 1010-0006 Expiration Date: 6/30/2019

U.S. Department of the Interior **Bureau of Ocean Energy Management**

LEASING & FINAN OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF (OCS) PHPELINE RIG AY GRANT BOND Bond No.: EAIC401765 \$70,380.00 Bond Type: ☐ Area _____

Additional Security (Check One) The Surety is the Company Guaranteeing Performance. **Endurance Assurance Corporation** Name of Surety: 12890 Lebanon Road Mailing Address: Mt. Juliet, TN 37122 ; County or Parish of: New Castle If a Corporation, Incorporated in the State of: Delaware Check here if Surety is certified by U.S. Treasury as an acceptable surety on Federal Bonds and listed in the current U.S. Treasury Circular No. 570. The Principal is the Pipeline Right-of-way (ROW) Grant Holder for Whom the Bond or additional security* is Issued. Name of Principal: Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC 675 Bering Drive, Suite 620, Houston, TX 77057 Mailing Address: Schedule A, the OCS area and pipeline ROW grant covered by this bond or additional security*, is comprised of (check one or both): The following OCS area[(see 30 CFR 550.1011(b)]: Schedule A - See Attached for complete description of right of way OCS-G 29188 The following pipeline ROW grant [see 30 CFR 550.1011(a)(2)]: In addition to the Obligations of the Principal during the period of liability of this bond or additional security*, the Surety also accepts the following Obligations (check one): No Obligations other than the Obligations of the Principal during the period of liability of this bond or additional security*. All Obligations of all previous Sureties or guarantors even if the Obligations are not Obligations of the Principal during the period of liability of this bond or additional security*. All Obligations of all previous Sureties or guarantors even if the Obligations are not Obligations of the Principal during the period of liability of this bond or additional security* with the following exceptions or limitations (use an attached sheet if needed): An Obligation includes any obligation arising from any regulations of the Department of the Interior or any **Definitions** Instrument issued, maintained, or approved under the OCS Lands Act, 43 USC 1331 et seq. An Instrument includes any pipeline ROW grant, whereunder the Principal has the right, privilege, or license to For the purposes conduct pipeline operations on the OCS. of this document: A Person includes an individual, a public or private corporation, a State, a political subdivision of a State, any association of individuals, corporations, States, or subdivisions of States, or a government agency. By signing below, the Principal verifies that the information above is correct and agrees to the following: The Principal as agent on behalf of the pipeline ROW grant holder will fulfill all Obligations for the entire pipeline ROW grant and to the same extent as though the Principal were the sole pipeline ROW grant holder for all pipeline ROW grants in Schedule A within an area designated in Schedule A. By signing below, the Surety verifies that the information above is correct and agrees to the following: 1. The Surety does hereby absolutely and unconditionally bind itself to the United States of America acting through and by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM), or such other official designated by the Secretary of the Interior for this purpose, for the performance of all present and future Obligations. The Surety agrees to meet all existing and future Obligations of the Principal on the pipeline ROW grant(s) described in Schedule A or acquired within that area after the effective date of this document at a cost not to exceed \$ \$70,380.00 unless this sum has been increased or decreased by a rider to this bond or additional security*executed in the same manner as this bond or additional security*. The Surety will be responsible for all Obligations of the Principal in existence at the time this document becomes effective and

all Obligations that accrue after that date and until all Obligations are met or until the Regional Director terminates the period

of liability of this bond or additional security*.

OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF (OCS) PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY GRANT BOND (Continued)

- 4. If the Regional Director terminates the period of liability of this bond or additional security*, the Surety will remain responsible for Obligations that accrued during the period of liability until the Regional Director issues a written cancellation of the bond or additional security* in favor of the Surety.
- 5. If this bond or additional security* is cancelled, the Regional Director may reinstate this bond or additional security* as if no cancellation had occurred if any payment of any obligations of the Principal(s) is rescinded or must be restored pursuant to any insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization, or receivership, or should the representation of the Principal that it has paid its financial Obligations or performed the other Obligations of the pipeline ROW grant(s)in accordance with BOEM specifications be materially false and the BOEM relied upon such representation in canceling the instrument.
- 6. The Surety waives any right of notice of this bond or other security*taking effect and agrees that this bond or additional security* will take effect upon delivery to BOEM.
- 7. The Surety's Obligations will remain in full force and effect, even if:
- (a) Any person assigns the Instrument covered by this document.
- (b) Any person modifies an Instrument or Obligation under an Instrument in any manner including modifications that result from a modification of regulations or interpretations of regulations; or creation of any mortgage, pledge, or other grant of security interest in the Instruments.
- (c) Any person, event, or condition terminates any Instrument covered by this bond or additional security*, whether the termination is by operation of law or otherwise.
- (d) The BOEM takes or fails to take any action in enforcing, as against any party to the Instrument, the performance of any other covenant, condition or agreement of the pipeline ROW grant, or giving notice of or making demand with respect to such nonperformance.
- (e) The Surety suffers any loss by reason of any law limiting, qualifying, or discharging the Principal's Obligation.
- 8. The Surety agrees to be bound under this bond or additional security* as to the interests in any Instrument retained by the Principal when the BOEM approves the transfer of any or all of the Instruments.
- 9. In the event of any default under a pipeline ROW grant, the Surety must perform the Obligations of the Principal upon demand by the BOEM.
- 10. If the BOEM decides to commence suit to enforce its rights, it may commence and prosecute any claim, suit, action, or other proceeding against the Principal and Surety, or either of them, whether or not the BOEM joins the pipeline ROW grant holder or any other party.
- 11. In the event there is more than one Surety for the Principal's performance of the Obligations, as to any Instrument, the Surety's Obligation and liability under this bond or additional security* is on a "solidary" or "joint and several" basis along with other guarantors or sureties.
- 12. The Surety agrees to give prompt notice to the BOEM and the Principal of any action filed alleging the insolvency or bankruptcy of the Surety or the Principal, or alleging any violation that would result in suspension or revocation of the Surety's charter or license to do business.
- 13. The Surety's Obligation and liabilities under this Bond or additional security* are binding upon the Surety's successors and assigns. Nothing in this document permits assignment of the Surety's Obligation without the written consent of the BOEM.
- 14. The Surety hereby waives any defenses to liability on this bond or additional security* based on an unauthorized Principal signature.
- * Must be approved by the Regional Director

OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF (OCS) PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY GRANT BOND (Continued)

Endurance Assurance Corporation	Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC
Name of Surety Signature of Person Executing for Surety	Name of Principal Signature of Person Executing for Principal
E.Patrick Hennesy III-Attorney-in-Fact	J. Lawson Fancher, Principal
Name and title typed or printed	Name and title typed or printed
5847 San Felipe, Suite 2800	675 Bering Drive, Suite 620
Business Address	Business Address
Houston, Texas 77057	Houston, Texas 77057
Business Address	Business Address
Signed on this 12th day of June, 20 19	, in the State of, in the presence of:
Signature of Witness	Signature of Witness
Karen Meyers	Timothy A. Austin
Name typed or printed	Name typed or printed
5747 San Felipe, Suite 2800	675 Bering Drive, Suite 620
Address	Address
Houston, Texas 77057	Houston, Texas 77057
Address	Address

Note: The party signing for the Surety must attach a corporate resolution and power of attorney stating his or her authority to undertake this Obligation, pursuant to the acts of the corporate board of directors and the laws of the state of incorporation. The corporation executing this bond as Surety and the pipeline right-of-way grant holder, if a corporation, must affix their corporate seals.

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) Statement: The PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) requires us to inform you that BOEM collects this information to hold the surety liable for the obligations and liability of the Principal (pipeline right-of-way holder). Responses are required to obtain or retain a benefit. Proprietary data are covered under 30 CFR 550.197. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 15 minutes per response (in the Alaska and Pacific Regions, this could take longer), including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form should be directed to the Information Collection Clearance Officer, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, 45600 Woodland Road, Sterling, VA 20166.

Attachment to the

Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond,

Bond Number EAIC401765

Surety: Endurance Assurance Corporation

Principal: Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC

Schedule A

Pipeline Right-of-way (ROW) OCS-G 29188 is a 200-foot wide and approximately 2.55 miles (13,464 feet) long corridor associated with the 6-inch Pipeline Segment No. 18834. The purpose of pipeline ROW OCS-G 29188 is to maintain and operate PSN 18834 and to transport bulk oil from Platform C in Ship Shoal Area, South Addition Block 238 to Platform B in Ship Shoal Area Block 233.

ENDURANCE ASSURANCE CORPORATION

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all Men by these Present, that ENDURANCE ASSURANCE CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation (the "Corporation"), with offices at 4 Manhattanville Road, 3rd Floor, Purchase, NY 10577, has made, constituted and appointed and by these presents, does make, constitute and appoint E. Patrick Hennesy III its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact, at Houston in the State of TX and each of them to have full power to act without the other or others, to make, execute and deliver on its behalf, as surety or co-surety; bonds and undertakings given for any and all purposes, also to execute and deliver on its behalf as aforesaid renewals, extensions, agreements, waivers, consents or stipulations relating to such bonds or undertakings provided, however, that no single bond or undertaking so made, executed and delivered shall obligate the Corporation for any portion of the penal sum thereof in excess of the sum of TEN MILLION Dollars (\$10,000,000).

Such bonds and undertakings for said purposes, when duly executed by said attorney(s)-in-fact, shall be binding upon the Corporation as fully and to the same extent as if signed by the President of the Corporation under its corporate seal attested by its Corporate Secretary.

This appointment is made under and by authority of certain resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation by unanimous written consent on the 9th of January, 2014, a copy of which appears below under the heading entitled "Certificate".

This Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by authority of the following resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation by unanimous written consent on January 9, 2014 and sald resolution has not since been revoked, amended or repealed:

RESOLVED, that in granting powers of attorney pursuant to certain resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation by unanimous written consent on January 9, 2014, the signature of such directors and officers and the seal of the Corporation may be affixed to any such power of attorney or any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or seal shall be valid and binding upon the Corporation in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused these presents to be duly signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested this 27th day of June of 2018 at Purchase, New York.

(Corporate Seal) ATTEST

MARIANNE L. WILBERT, SENIOR VICE PRESIDEN

ENDURANCE ASSURANCE CORPORATION

SHARON L. SIMS, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF NEW YORK

ss: MANHATTAN

On the 27th day of Jupe of 2018 before me personally came SHARON L. SIMS, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that (s)he resides in SCOTCH PLAINS, NEW JERSEY that (s)he is a SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT of ENDURANCE ASSURANCE CORPORATION, the Corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that (s)he knows the seal of said Corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Corporation, and that (s)he signed his (her) name thereto by like order.

NO. (Notarial Seal) 63338 11 O - QUALIFIED IN

Nicholas James Benenati, Notary Public - My Commission Expires 12/6/2019

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK

ss: MANHATTAN

CERTIFICATE

I, CHRISTOPHER DONELAN the PRESIDENT of ENDURANCE ASSURANCE CORPORATION, a Delaware Corporation (the "Corporation"), hereby certify:

- 1. That the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a copy was duly executed on behalf of the Corporation and has not since been revoked, amended or modified; that the undersigned has compared the foregoing copy thereof with the original power of attorney, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the original power of attorney and of the whole thereof:
- 2. The following are resolutions which were adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation by unanimous written consent on January 9, 2014 and said resolutions have not since been revoked, amended or modified

"RESOLVED, that each of the individuals named below is authorized to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on behalf of the Corporation any and all bonds, undertakings or obligations in surety or co-surety with others:

CHRISTOPHER DONELAN, SHARON L. SIMS, MARIANNE L. WILBERT

202223212421645550 And be it further

RESOLVED, that each of the individuals named above is authorized to appoint attorneys-in-fact for the purpose of making, executing, sealing and delivering bonds, undertakings or obligations in surety or co-surety for and on behalf of the Corporation."

3. The undersigned further certifies that the above resolutions are true and correct copies of the resolutions as so recorded and of the whole thereof. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal this 12th day of June

CHRISTOPHER DONELAN, PRESIDENT

Any reproductions are void. Primary Surety Claims Submission: suretybondclaims@sompo-intl.com Surety Claims Hotline: 877-676-7575 Mailing Address: Surety Claims Department, Sompo International, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, 18th Floor, New York, NY 10020

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of Texas County of Harris	
Before me, <u>Donna Gurney</u> , on this day personally appeared <u>E.</u> to me (or proved to me on the oath of or through or other document) to be the person whose name is subscinstrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same consideration therein expressed.	gh (description of identity ribed to the foregoing
Given under my hand and seal of office this12th day ofJune_ 2019.	
DONNA GURNEY Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 02-22-2020 Notary ID 7455014 (Personalized Seal)	Notary Public's Signature